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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

The President has signed the river and harbor bill. —— Fire at Philadelphia yesterday destroyed a leather factory and other buildings; a dozen people were seriously injured. —— President Roosevelt sent a special message to Congress, urging passage of the bill providing for reciprocal tariff arrangements with Cuba. —— The House has passed the Irrigation bill; it had already passed the Senate. —— Mine owners say the situation in the Pocahontas fields is improved, and full resumption of work by the middle of next week is expected. —— Capt. R. C. Croxton, U. S. A., shot himself and is in a critical condition. —— Saw mill at Atlanta burned; loss $55,000. —— Troops are still on duty at Pawtucket, R. I., and the city is quiet; there was no rioting yesterday. —— The volcano Kilauea, Hawaii, has broken out in eruption; there have also been slight earthquakes. —— The anthracite coal miners' strike in Pennsylvania is unchanged; there is talk of a sympathetic strike of Illinois mine workers. —— New York markets: Money on call was steady at 2½@3 per cent.; closing, bid and asked 2½@3 per cent.; rosin steady; spirits turpentine dull; cotton firm at 9 7-16c; flour was held firm at 5@10c advance; wheat—spot firm; No. 2 red 78¾c; corn—spot steady, No. 2, 71½c; oats—spot firm, No. 2 47c.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., June 14.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 76 degrees; 8 P. M., 77 degrees; maximum, 86 degrees; minimum, 70 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall for da 00; rainfall since 1st of month to da , .52 inch.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Warm and generally fair weather continued. A few local rains fell in the Atlanta, Oklahoma, and Wilmington districts.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—For North Carolina: Showers Saturday and probably Sunday; cooler Saturday in central portion; variable winds.

Port Almanac—June 14.

Sun Rises	4.41 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.17 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 36 M.
High Water at Southport	2.35 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	5.05 A. M.

Hon. Charles A. Towne has gone out of politics and into oil. He finds oil an easier thing to handle and the net returns more satisfactory.

The cherry tree swindlers who are being tried this week in the Federal court at Charlotte, bunconed their victims in this State to the amount of $48,000.

Miss Dunn, an Englishwoman in constantinople, has married a Turk and embraced Mohammedanism. A sort of mutual embrace as it were. But her Christian friends are done with her.

The Kentucky preacher who in his sermon asked God to "rain men like President Roosevelt for a year" was unreasonable. It seems to us he might have been satisfied with a few showers.

The largest return for the smallest amount invested is reported from New York where a man, after having paid his nickel fare, was ejected from a street car and recovered $5,000 damages from the company.

We are told by those who figure on it that insects destroy from $300,000,000 to $400,000,000 worth of crops in this country every year, and yet there are lots of people who find amusement in wantonly killing birds.

Bishop Spaulding, of Illinois, says if the women of the land were better three-fourths of the sin and depravity that curse, present day life would disappear. That may be. But if men were better so would the women be. You seldom find a bad woman that you don't find a bad man around somewhere.

It is estimated that the anthracite coal mine strikers have since the strike began lost $5,000,000 in wages, and they say they propose to fight it out to a finish, which means more millions lost. After a while they and the mine operators will get tired of it and conclude to comp.

In a lawsuit in Chicago where a woman sued for an injunction to restrain her husband, who had been married three times previously, from keeping in the house his mother-in-law, who was the mother of two of his wives, who were sisters, the judge decided that a man has as much right to keep his mother-in-law in the house as he has to keep a dog, and refused to grant the injunction. That was a dog-matic decision, but it was appealed from all the same.

ATLANTIC YACHT CLUB HAD DELIGHTFUL OPENING.

Hop by the Seashore Last Night Was Enjoyed With Other Features of an Elaborate Function.

More than two hundred clubmen, their friends and invited guests were present last evening at the annual opening of the Atlantic Yacht Club at Wrightsville Beach and it is safe to say that all had a most delightful time.

The afternoon and evening trains carried down large crowds from the city and these were augmented by many young people, who have taken up their Summer residences on the Sound and beach. The club house, handsomely appointed in every way, was beautifully decorated with Japanese lanterns, bunting and flags, and delightful refreshments were served to all. The music was by the Italian Harpers from Wilmington and about forty couples participated in the dance, which was one of the most pleasant features of the occasion.

A late train from the beach, arriving about 1 o'clock this morning, brought up a large number of the pleasure-seekers.

Members of the Carolina Yacht and Hanover Seaside clubs were special guests.

AGED GERMAN CITIZEN DEAD.

Mr. F. Mayer Passed Away Last Night at the Advanced Age of 84—The Interment at Southport.

Mr. F. Mayer, one of Wilmington's most aged and venerable German citizens, died last night at the residence of his son, Mr. Thos. E. Mayer, No. 810 Dock street. His death was due more to the infirmities of one of his advanced age than to other causes.

Mr. Mayer was born in Germany, but came to Wilmington and engaged in merchandising in 1840. He remained in that line of work until after the war, when he engaged in the bakery and confectionery business with his son, the late C. R. Mayer, on Market between Front and Second streets. In 1871, upon the death of his son, he went out of business and was next employed by the city in looking up privilege tax and doing detective work for the city. In late years, however, he had been too feeble to be actively engaged and spent his last days in peace. He married Miss Annie Daniels, of Southport, but she preceded him to the grave in 1864. There now remains of the family a son, Mr. Thos. E. Mayer, a daughter, Miss Elizabeth Mayer, both of this city, and a niece, Mrs. R. W. Davis, of Southport.

After funeral services from the residence at 9 A. M. to-morrow the remains will be taken on the steamer *Wilmington* to Southport for interment.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Four or five rooms or a small house is wanted. See business local column.

— There will be children's services at Brooklyn Baptist Church Sunday night at 8 o'clock.

— A big water tank at the Angola Lumber Company's plant burst last night with a loud report.

— The tug *Marion* towed the barge *Louis H*, up to the Navassa factory yesterday, loaded with fish scrap from the factories at old Brunswick.

— Cotton receipts for the week ended yesterday were 280 bales against 63 same week last year; since Sept. 1st, 276,063 bales against 250,986, the corresponding period last year.

— The announcement of the Fall term of the State Normal and Industrial College may be found in another column. The institution is too well known to need commendation here.

— For a few days only 98 cents will purchase a pair of ladies' hand-turned Oxfords at the store of Geo. R. French & Sons. The former price was $2.50 and the Oxfords are in black and tan—the very thing for the seashore.

— By deed filed for record yesterday James Owen Reilley transferred to D. O'Connor for $450 and other considerations lot on Ocean View Beach, beginning at the southeast corner of Col. F. W. Foster's place and having a Beach frontage on 80 feet.

— Preparations are on foot for a party to be given on the lawn of Captain John W. Harper's residence at an early day. It will be for the benefit of St. Paul's Episcopal church, and will be gotten up on an elaborate scale by the ladies of the congregation.

The Light Ship Gone.

The U. S. buoy tender Wistaria came n port yesterday for Frying Pan Shoals Light Ship No. 1, and towed her out to her station. The light ship has been in port for about two months undergoing repairs at Skinner's ship yard. The relief ship which has been on duty during the light ship's absence will be towed back to Charleston.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

E. Warren & Son—Soft peaches.
Geo. R. French & Sons—A few days.
People's Savings Bank—Our wants.
N. C. State Normal and Industrial College.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

For Sale—A Herring's safe.
Wanted—Energetic workers.
Jas. I. Metts—Horse for sale.
Wanted—Rooms or a small house.
Notice—Piano and organ opportunity

ROBBED AN OFFICE.

Toney Ashe, Well Known Colored Man, Overtaken in Theft of About $35.

CONFESSES THE OFFENCE.

Took Envelope Containing Money from Bellamy & Bellamy, Attorneys—He Was Indignant, Then Humiliated—Amount Recovered.

Charged with the larceny of an envelope containing about $35 from a money drawer in the office of Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy, attorneys, on Princess street, Toney Ashe, colored, ex-deputy sheriff under the Republican regime and a prominent member of the J. C. Abbott Post, Grand Army of the Republic, was committed to jail yesterday in default of $100 justified bond to appear in Justice Fowler's court for a preliminary examination to-day.

Ashe is employed to sweep out the office of Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy with a number of other offices in the city and was given the key to the door in order to have the place in readiness when members of the firm came down for their duties in the morning. The envelope containing the amount stolen was left by Mr. Marsden Bellamy, senior member of the firm, in a money drawer, locked by combination keys underneath, in the rear room. Yesterday morning when he came down and opened the drawer the envelope was gone, and, although his past record has been fairly good, suspicion naturally rested on Ashe. Mr. Bellamy sent at once for the negro, who stoutly maintained that he knew nothing of the theft. Later, Mr. Bellamy ascertained that very soon after the robbery Ashe had paid rent on his house amounting to $4 and had also taken up a note for $4 with one of the several money lenders in the city. This increased the suspicion as the negro was known to have had no money on the day before, and his arrest by Constable Sheehan followed.

When brought before Justice Fowler the prisoner was intoxicated and told various conflicting tales as to how he came into possession of the rent and note money. He was highly indignant, too, that a colored man of his character and standing should be brought into court upon such a charge. However, his indignation was soon converted into humility when at the jail he was searched by Constable Sheehan and Jailor Capps and most of the money was found tied about the calf of his legs under his undercothing.

All but fifty cents of the amount was recovered by Mr. Bellamy exclusive of that paid for rent and to the money lender, and Ashe confessed having taken the envelope but said he found it on the floor of the office. That statement Mr. Bellamy is certain is untrue as the money was carefully placed in the drawer. Ashe is said to be about 70 years old and Mr. Bellamy is not disposed to have him severely punished but will see to it, that the court metes out to him some punishment for the offeace.

THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST UNION.

Important Organization of the Wilmington Association Will Meet in June.

The Southern Union, of the Wilmington Baptist Association will hold a meeting in this city on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 27th, 28th and 29th, and it promises to be a most delightful and interesting session. The introductory sermon will be preached at 11 A. M. by Rev. L. B. Boney, and there will be interesting discussions on the following topics, as announced in the programme:

"The Destitution in Our Bounds, and How to Supply It"—Elders C. B. Paul, D. N. Page.

"Is There Undue Coldness in the Churches? If so, Why!"—Elder O. W. Triplett, D. J. Corbett.

"The Importance of the Pastoral Relationship"—Elder C. S. Blackwell, D. D., J. T. Bland.

Pastor's Conference, 8 P. M., Friday.

Sunday School Mass Meeting, 10 A. M. Sunday and preaching, 11 A. M.

Badly Gashed His Neck.

Mr. J. H. Swinson, who works at the Standard Oil Company's works, was painfully injured last Thursday afternoon while inspecting a number of barrels upon which he was walking. One of the chocks of a barrel gave way and Mr. Swinson was thrown headlong to the ground, his neck striking something which laid the jugular vein almost bare. He was sent to his home at No. 211 Grace street, where physicians attended him. He was resting easily yesterday.

Wilmington's Climate.

Thursday was generally conceded to have been the warmest day of the year and stereotyped inquiries "Ain't it hot?" were not infrequent. Wilmington was, however, at that very time the coolest place in the State by 3 degrees and 7 degrees below the average. The figures are as follows: Wilmington 87, Charlotte 98, Cheraw 95, Florence 97, Goldsboro 94, Greensboro 93, Lumberton 94, Newbern 90, Raleigh 96, Weldon 92.

An Excursion From Durham.

To-day the Sunday Schools of East Durham will bring a large excursion to Wilmington and her seaside resorts. The excursionists will have six hours here and will return this evening. The fare for the round trip is only $1.50.

PYTHIAN GRAND LODGE COMING TO WILMINGTON.

Representatives and Officers Came Home Yesterday After Delightful Trip to Asheville—Elections for 1903.

Most of the party of Wilmingtonians who attended the Grand Lodge, K. of P., at Asheville this week, returned yesterday noon via the Seaboard Air Line after a delightful trip to the "Land of the Sky."

In the party were: Supreme Master of Exchequer T. D. Meares, Past Grand Chancellor John Haar, Col. Walker Taylor, a member of the Judiciary Committee; District Deputy J. D. Nutt, and Representatives W. F. Robertson, J. F. Littleton, R. S. Collins and S. Behrends. Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Behrends accompanied their husbands on the trip and were delightfully entertained with the other lady visitors at Asheville.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the sessions was the decision to meet in Wilmington in 1903 and arrangements are already under way by the local lodges to entertain the distinguished body. Grand Lodge officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows:

G. C.—Jack Scott, Jr., Alamance.
V. G. C.—L. D. Robinson, Wadesboro.
G. P.—Rev. E. D. Brown, Kinston.
G. M. at A.—B. Nooe, Pittsboro.
G. I. G.—J. B. Hurley, Concord.
G. O. G.—M. Miller, Waynesville.

The meeting at Asheville was perhaps the most successful ever held by the North Carolina Pythians and was a record breaker in point of representation. Every lodge in the State with the exception of three, Aberdeen, Louisburg and Pineville, was represented. The number of delegates, committeemen and officers present was 140. The total representation was more than 200. Returning members say that the outlook for a big increase in Pythianism in North Carolina this year is most favorable. The increase during the past year has been above the most sanguine expectations. There are now about 5,200 members of the order in the State.

DR. W. C. COKER HONORED.

Elected to Chair of Botany in the University Faculty—Well Known Here.

Dr. W. C. Coker, who was recently elected to the Chair of Botany by the trustees of the University of North Carolina, is well known in this city, having lived here for three years. Dr. Coker was graduated with distinction from the South Carolina College in June, 1894, and accepted a position in the Atlantic National Bank, where he rose rapidly. When he resigned his position in the bank (in order to take a post graduate course in Johns Hopkins University) he had been serving as vice president and director for some time. During the Winter of '97-'98 he was offered the presidency of a national bank organized in this State, and was urged to accept it by friends who recognized his financial ability and were desirous of investing in the bank to be managed by him, but Dr. Coker declined this position in order to follow a course more congenial to his taste.

He made a record at Johns Hopkins University, which was an honor to that well known institution as well as himself. During the past year, after graduating with the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from Johns Hopkins, he has devoted his time to his favorite study of botany in Germany under a famous professor.

He is a son of Major J. J. L. Coker, also well known in this city, of Hartsville, S. C., an able financier and scholarly gentleman. Dr. Coker is a worthy son of a distinguished father, and the STAR congratulates the University in securing this addition to its already strong faculty.

New Street Railway Equipment.

By the middle of next week all the open cars of the Wilmington Street Railway Company will have been completely overhauled and made good as new for the big Summer travel that is expected. Six sets of new flexible trucks have been received by the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co., and these will be put in as soon as possible. New electric headlights have also arrived and will be put on the cars, all of which have been nicely repainted. The new equipment will add much to convenience and comfort of travel.

Our Long Distance Telephone.

Burgaw *Chronicle*: "The erection of the long distance telephone lines, between Wilmington and Raleigh, is progressing rapidly. The extension of the lines already reaches from Wilmington to this point. A section of 55 men are engaged in constructing the lines, and they are proceeding towards Raleigh at the rate of about two miles per day. Four lines are being placed on this branch of the company's system. It is the company's design that Wilmington and Raleigh shall be connected by the latter part of August."

Woman's Missionary Societies.

The Union of the Woman's Missionary Societies of the Presbytery of Wilton, appointed to meet at South River church has been postponed from June 19th and 20th to July 9th and 10th, 1902. Reduced rates have been secured on the railroads and an excellent programme has been arranged.

Meets Next in Wilmington.

The annual session of the Grand Commandery Royal Arch Masons of North Carolina closed at Winston Wednesday. The Grand Chapter and Grand Commandery of Knights Templars will meet next year in Wilmington.

THEIR BATTING GARB

Wilmington by Superior Stick Work and Effective Pitching Won Yesterday's Game.

GREAT HIT BY DOMMEL.

Sweeney Was in Magnificent Form—Results of Other Games—It Made the Horse Editor Laugh—Notes and Comments of the League.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Wilmington, 5; Greensboro, 1.
Durham, 4; Raleigh, 5.
Charlotte, 3; Newbern, 5.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Greensboro at Wilmington
Durham at Raleigh.
Charlotte at Newbern.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Charlotte	29	5	.853
Raleigh	20	15	.571
Durham	18	17	.514
Newbern	17	18	.486
Greensboro	16	19	.456
Wilmington	5	29	.147

The locals got on their batting clothes at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon and won in a beautiful game by the score of five runs to one. Conneen was on the slab for Kelly and was pounded for eleven hits or a total of sixteen bases. Dunn and Sweeney did the firing honors for Wilmington and the latter was very effective. Each allowed but a single hit, but Dunn got wild in the fourth and at his own request he was relieved by Sweeney, who, although yet a little sore from pitching Wednesday, went in like a man and never did better.

In the fourth inning Dunn, who had previously allowed but one hit, went to pieces with two men down and on an error of short, a pass and hit-by-pitched-ball, the bases were full. Sweeney was then put in by Manager Mace and the first three balls that went over the plate retired Cook, one of the heaviest hitters on the team.

The run-getting began in the third inning. Cook, whom Sweeney later fanned with three men on bases and two down, drove to left for two cushions and came home on Conneen's long fly out to left and McTeer's drive out, second to first.

The locals began their score like a cyclone in the sixth, but Old Hard Luck visited the team unexpectedly and but a single run was garnered. Dommel made a line drive out to left, Lawson and McGinnis next up, singled to centre and Holland hit for two cushions to right, scoring Lawson. Deiters got a pass and with the bases full and one down, Fisher flew to left and Sweeney fanned.

With the score tied in the eighth Greensboro came up and went out in one, two, three order. Wilmington put up Holland and he walked to first; Dieters sacrificed and Fisher got a pass; Sweeney was hit by a pitched ball, and with the bases full O'Neill drove a two-bagger out in the right garden, bringing in Holland, Fisher and Sweeney. Hines went out, third to first, and "Germany" Dommel sent a three-bagger over into the high brush in left field that brought in O'Neill. The hit was the finest seen on the diamond here this season, and by stretching it a bit, Dommel could have made a home run. Neither team scored in the ninth.

By instruction from President Busbee, Mr. R. H. Gwaltney was secured to umpire the game, and he gave perfect satisfaction. Not a kick was registered and both managers speak in very complimentary terms of his work:

THE SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Greensboro	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1
Wilmington	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	x	5	11	2

Batteries: Conneen and Sullivan; Dunn, Sweeney and Fisher.

THE TABULATED SCORE.

GREENSBORO.	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
McTeer, 1b	4	0	0	7	0	0
McKernan, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Fox, 2b	4	0	0	3	2	0
Sullivan, c	4	0	1	7	3	0
Darby, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	1
Poole, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cook, lf	3	1	1	6	0	0
Conneen, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Total	30	1	2	27	7	1

WILMINGTON.	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Mathison, 3b	1	0	1	0	1	0
O'Neill, 2b	3	1	1	1	4	0
Hines, lf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Dommel, 1b	5	0	1	13	1	0
Lawson, ss	3	1	1	0	2	1
McGinnis, cf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Holland, rf	3	1	1	3	0	0
Deiters, 2b & 3b	2	0	1	2	3	0
Fisher, c	3	1	0	3	0	1
Dunn, p	1	0	1	0	1	0
Sweeney, p	2	1	1	2	1	0
Total	37	5	11	27	13	2

Summary: Stolen bases, Darby and Allen. Two base hits, Cook, Holland, O'Neill and Hines. Three base hit, Dommel. Double plays, O'Neill to Dommel, Base on balls, off Dunn 1, Conneen 4. Hit by pitched ball, Allen and Sweeney. Struck out, by Sweeney 4, Conneen 7. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Mr. Gwaltney. Scorer, Mr. Bell.

Won Strictly On Its Merits. And Not Through Errors.

— Holland was in fine shape and played great ball.

— Bob Gwaltney as umpire gave universal satisfaction.

— Go to the game to-day. The boys deserve a large attendance.

— Eleven hits for Wilmington is "doin' tollable well, thank you."

— Sweeney again proved that he is one of the best pitchers in the league.

— Dere vosh noting der madder mit Herr Von Schmidt Dommel yoostiddy.

— The game was won strictly on its merits. Greensboro made but one error.

— The horse editor made that double play and won ten cents. He now feels like 75 cents.

— Speaking after the manner of man, we sjamboked 'em from Dan to Beersheba.

— The game to-day will be an interesting one. K. K. Kelly will pitch for the Kids.

— The enthusiasm of the 350 rooters and rooterinas present was at least 100 in the shade.

— At least one more pitcher eighteen karats fine is what Wilmington needs at once.

— Komical King Kelly informed the STAR last evening that he would pitch for his Kritters to-day.

— King Kelly's Kritters by desperate effort, managed to get two hits off Sweeney and Dunn.

— Mathison injured his ankle in making second base and it is feared he will not be in the game to-day.

— The horse editor is reckless now. he will bet twenty cents with King Kelly that Wilmington wins to-day.

— With one exception every man on the home team made a hit. The G. O. C. F. made his regulation two.

— Dunn was not well and went into the box very reluctantly. His work was as good as could have been expected under the circumstances.

— The Tall Fox of Randleman picked a fly or two out of the clouds, but the balls, from the pitcher's box were the size of mustard seed, he thought.

— The game yesterday between Raleigh and Durham was an eleven-inning one. Those teams are making a hard fight for second place in the first series.

— And the Newbern Clams pinched the Charlotte Hornets yesterday in the ratio of five to three. In the language of Gustavus Adolphus Robinson: "Will wonders never cease!"

— When Sweeney relieved Dunn in the fourth inning Kelly's Kritters had the bases full and two men out. It was a critical moment; but Sweeney proved equal to the emergency by striking out the man at the bat.

— Kairns, the Washington pitcher recommended by Connie Mack, of the Baltimore American League team, was telegraphed for last night and is expected here for the Charlotte game Monday.

— Dommel would have made a home run instead of three bases on that terrific drive to left field, if he had been properly coached. With the game practically won, he should have made for the home plate anyway.

— Florence *Times*: "Dick Sullivan, the well known veteran baseballist, spent last night in the city. He left for Wilmington this morning to join the Greensboro team, with which he has been playing. Mr. Sullivan has been in Georgia for a week looking up new material for the Greensboro nine."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. J. H. Sloan arrived from Charlotte yesterday.

— Rev. J. M. Wells, Ph. D., came home yesterday from Charlotte.

— Miss Mary Kunkel has gone to Baltimore on account of the illness of her mother.

— Mrs. George Honnett left for New York yesterday to visit her son Dr. J. Harry Honnett.

— Mrs. Eva L. Carter and little daughter left yesterday for Philadelphia to spend part of the Summer.

— Dr. and Mrs. B. R. Graham, of Wallace, are guests of Mrs. Graham's parents, Mr. and Mrs C. P. Bolles.

— Mrs. S. H. Fishblate and Mrs. Etta Weill left yesterday for Boston to attend the National Christian Scientist Convention.

— Mrs. C. S. Jackson and daughter, Mrs. H. D. White, of Norfolk, Va., are visiting Mrs. Jackson's son Mr. W. W. Roberts, 207 Church st.

— Mr. John D. Kennedy, representing The Cable Company, manufacturers of high grade pianos and organs, is in the Icity from Charleston on a business trip. He has a very interesting advertisement in another column.

N. C. AND VIRGINIA TRUCK.

Statement by Commissioner of Agriculture—The Federal Court Clerks.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., June 13.—Judge Purnell, of the Federal Circuit Court, issued reappointments to-day of Circuit Court Deputy Clerks as follows: Geo. L. Tonnffoski, of Raleigh; J. P. Overman, Elizabeth City; Geo. Green, Newbern; W. H. Shaw, Wilmington.

The appointment of Mr. Shaw is only operative until he qualifies as full clerk of the Circuit and District Courts, to which he has been appointed by the Circuit and District Court Judges.

Commissioner Patterson, of the Agricultural Department, issues to-day an important summary of the trucking conditions in North Carolina and Virginia, showing this State's results from crops very gratifying with bright prospects for a continuance, owing to the poor Virginia outlook.

The following extract shows the poor Virginia conditions:

"The bean crop about Norfolk, now being marketed, is short by one-third, with normal acreage. Shipments will be over within a few days. The dry weather has affected the crop. The cabbage crop is about over, with a yield of fifty per cent. below the average; acreage normal. Dry weather accounts for the shortage. In the potato crop there is an increase of acreage by ten per cent., but the yield will be fifty per cent. off. The season opened June 15th. Dry weather ruined the prospects and very few were dug. Cucumber acreage about normal, with yield of twenty-five per cent. off. Rain would improve the prospect. Truckers about Norfolk are blue over the outlook."

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In Memory Of Bradley Wooten.

RALEIGH, N. C., June 13.—Resolutions in respect to the memory of the late Bradley J. Wootten were passed by the Alumni Association of the A. & M. College to-day. The resolutions say Lieutenant Wooten was a true and tried soldier; served gallantly in defence of his country; socially he was personally attractive and lovable. In all things he was true to the mandates of his higher nature.

Navassa Up for Repairs.

The tug *Navassa* will be hauled up on the marine railway at Skinner's today to have her bottom scraped and slight overhauling done to her machinery. The boat has been given a bright coat of paint and is now very handsome. The steamer *Lillian* will run in the place of the *Navassa* while she is on the railway.

Elks Going to Asheville.

Dr. Glenn, Esteemed Leading Knight of the lodge of Elks in Asheville, is in Wilmington for the purpose of interesting the local lodge in the North Carolina Association, B. P. O. E. which will meet in that city July 4th, 5th and 6th.

— Master Theodore Kingsbury has taken a position as clerk at the Produce Exchange.

Church Notices.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seaman's Bethel to-morrow, (Sabbath) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, by Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D. Seamen and rivermen are respectfully invited. All are welcome.

Bladen Street Methodist Church: Rev. Geo. R. Webster, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath School 3:30 P. M. Prayer service every Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. A cordial welcome extended to all.

Grace M. E. Church, corner of Grace and Fourth streets. Pastor, Rev. J. N. Cole. Services Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8.00 p. m. Sunday School, W. B. Cooper, supt., 4.30 p. m. Weekly prayer meeting Wednesday at 8.00 p. m. A cordial welcome to all. Visitors to the city especially invited. Seats free.

Services in St. James' Church, Third Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion 7.45 A. M. Morning service and sermon 11 o'clock. Evening prayer 8 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church, Rev. John M. Wells, Ph. D., pastor. Divine services at 11 A. M. and at 8.00 P. M., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 4.00 P. M. Prayer meeting on Thursdays at 8:15 P. M. The public cordially invited to all services. Pews free.

Fifth Street Methodist Church, situated on Fifth street between Nun and Church. Rev. John H. Hall, pastor. Service on Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday School Sunday afternoon at 3.00 o'clock. A cordial invitation extended to all.

Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Sixth and Queen streets. There will be the usual services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Southside Baptist Church, Rev. C. B. Paul, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor. Divine services at 11 A. M. and 8.00 P. M. Sabbath School at 4.00 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8.15 P. M. The public invited. Seats free.

Brooklyn Baptist Church, corner Fourth and Brunswick Sts. Rev. J. L. Vipperman, pastor. Services to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 3.30 P. M. Weekly prayer and praise meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Strangers and visitors are cordially invited to all services.

DIED.

MAYER—At his residence, No. 819 Dock street, this city, last night at 9 o'clock, F. MAYER, aged 84 years.

Funeral to-morrow (Sunday) morning at 9 o'clock from late residence with interment at Southport. Friends and acquaintances invited.

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The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 14.

THE MINERS' GRIEVANCES.

Public sympathy in Pennsylvania is with the striking miners and will be with them while they respect the law and commit no violence to turn sentiment against them. People at a distance who do not know the conditions under which the miners work and how completely they are in the power of the mine operators, look at it only as a contest between organized capital and organized labor, but those who are near and do know the conditions that prevail realize that the miners are not contending for higher pay simply for higher pay, but because higher pay is absolutely necessary that they may feed and clothe their families, and for reforms that will relieve them from some of the injustices to which they are now subjected in some if not all of the mines. Hence, as we have remarked above, public sympathy in Pennsylvania is with the miners.

They did not strike until every affort at an amicable settlement had failed, and they had some very prominent men aiding in trying to effect a settlement. They failed, it is said because the mine-operators would not listen to the propositions of the representatives of the miners, but insisted on dictating the terms which, while they might have made some small concessions, would have given no substantial reforms. Mark Hanna is quoted as having said that the mine operators could have grantad the increase in wages asked and more than made up the difference by an increase of ten cents a ton on coal. Since the strike coal has advanced a couple dollars a ton and is so scarce that vessels which have come to Philadelphia to load with coal had to go without it and load with something else. We take it from this that the mine operators have already made more by the advance in the price of coal than they would have had to pay out if they had given the increase of wages asked for. It is more than probable, too, that with coal commanding the price it does they are not in a hurry to end the strike.

In fact, it is said they would not end it if they could by compromise, for they have determined to fight it out with the miners to crush the Union, so that they can employ such labor and at such wages as they feel disposed to pay. This is another reason why public sympathy in Pennsylvania is with the strikers. The mine operators think it is all right for them to organize and combine for their own interest, but do not recognize the right of the miners to do the same for mutual interest and protection.

A short while ago President Roosevelt was asked to intervene with a view to bringing the mine operators and the miners together and end the strike, the injurious effect of which has already been felt in some of the manufacturing cities in the North where anthracite coal was the fuel used. Many of them have been compelled to substitute soft coal, and if the strike becomes general in the soft coal regions they can't get that.

The President did not feel that he could properly interfere, but at his request, it is said, Hon. Carroll D. Wright, Commissioner of Labor, visited the mining region to investigate the trouble and see if some way cannot be devised to adjust it. We judge from reported utterances by him that he has come to the conclusion that the miners had cause for complaint, but he believes that a settlement may be made.

One of the most comprehensive statements as to the causes of the strike and the condition of the miners and the conditions under which they struggle for a livelihood appeared in the Baltimore *Sun* of Wednesday. It was by D. J. Lewis, a State Senator of Maryland, but a native of Pennsylvania, who in his boyhood worked in the mines and was reared among the miners. Since then he has always been interested in them and kept himself fully informed as to what was going on under the ground, and how the toilers there were faring. The gist of the statement is contained in the following extracts:

"The anthracite coal region is a crescent, its southeastern horn being in Dauphin county and its northwestern up near New York State, in Lackawanna county, Pennsylvania, and is populated by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad and a few coal carriers. The six counties, working three-fifths—and never more than two-thirds—time, produce about 60,000,000 tons of coal a year for a market limited almost as rigidly as the source of supply itself.

"The original miners were Welsh, English, Irish and Scotch, nearly exclusively of British extraction. After the war, and continuously since, the Poles, Slavs and Hungarians have come. Many of these have become fairly Americanized in a generation, but still a great degree of heterogeneity prevails. This condition, with the half work and low pay, has produced a condition of general demoralization, so far as the miners' ability to cope with the employer is concerned.

"In the mines the coal is blasted—not dug, as in bituminous mining. It is as hard as glass, and the best miner could not dig a ton of it with a pick in a week. This means the use of a great deal of powder. The miner must buy it from the employer at the price he fixes. He pays about $3 per keg of 25 pounds, the same keg selling in George's Creek at $1.25 and less.

"The most audacious injustice of the hard-coal railway employer is his persistent refusal to weigh the coal, measuring only by the 'car.' There is no fixed quantity prescribed for a car, and the miner must put on a 'topping,' requiring nearly the skill of a mason if it shall hold until it reaches the breaker. How much the topping should be is not vouchsafed him. If he loads less than the company's docker thinks fit he is docked from a quarter to a half car. If he overloads he gets no credit for that. The employer insists, of course, upon a careful weighing before selling its product to the consumer. This docking system covers many other excuses for extortion, for in the hard-coal region docking is universally recognized as a customary discount of the wage contract.

"The only source of revenue to the miner is from the coal employer, The only possible method of expenditure is back again in the company store. As the miner puts it—'half time, calico and molasses.' There are many just employers in the region who deplore these conditions and who would blot them out. But in spite of the State Constitution of 1872, prohibiting railways from having any interest, direct or otherwise, in coal mining in Pennsylvania, the agencies of public transportation have taken possession of nine-tenths of the industry, and practically all independent operators have been forced out.

"The miners have for 20 years made the utmost struggle for life. The average wage per annum is only about $230, and rent to the company, store bill to the company, doctor bill to the company—all must be paid out of that. I have known sober men not to have tasted beef or felt the touch of a $5 bill in a year—men who worked at every opportunity offered. The houses are always frame, out on some hillside, double building with no sanitary arrangements, costing about $150 apiece, but usually whitewashed, as if in mockery. They rent at from $5 to $8 per month, collected at the office of the company.

"Anthracite mining has been found to be even more dangerous than railroading, and yet the employer conducts no insurance or beneficial agency to help the widow and orphan. The mining laws of the state are, perhaps, the best enacted in this country, but not to be observed. If they were there would be no railway domination, no 'pluck-me-store' and no docking, but fair weight, while powder might be purchased in the open market.

"This picture is a dark one, but no person who has lived and worked in the beautiful Valley of the Wyoming will consider it overdrawn. In no bituminous coal region were conditions ever so bad. There is more high handed injustice to the rod from Dauphin to Lackawana than during slavery in the Carolinas.

When a man has to support a family on $230 a year, and then feels that he is robbed of much of that by the system of extortion that circumstances compel him to submit to there is little wonder that he should live in a state of chronic discontent, and feel that however a strike might end his condition could not be made much worse. The wonder is that men will follow a calling that gives such poor returns if they could find anything else to do. But there seems to be some fascination in it that keeps them at it.

DOESN'T LIKE IT.

The Boston *Herald* does not like the way the new constitution of Virginia was adopted, and is moved to exclaim, "No condemnation can be too severe for these false Americans of the Virginia constitutional convention who have executed a *coup d'etat* as wanton and unrepublican as any that history records." That's a swipe for those "false Americans" who thus arbitrarily took snap judgment on the "electorate."

What troubles our Boston contemporary, doubtless, is the fact that a very large percentage of that electorate was composed of "the man and the brother," who was thus deprived of the opportunity of going to the polls in gangs and taking a whack at the new constitution, about which they know as little as they do about the theology of the Hindoos. There are about 200,000 of them in that State the bulk of whom couldn't tell a constitution from a buzz saw, and are about as fit to have a voice in the making of the organic law for the government or a State as they would be to devise a new system of religion.

We do not know what the provisions of the old constitution of Virginia were as to replacing or amending it but the probabilities are that it provided that this might be done either by the convention itself or by submission to the people, as was done in this State. In several of the States new constitutions are not submitted to the people. Either a constitutional convention does the work or the Legislature in a prescribed way. We have no doubt that the "false Americans" in the Virginia convention knew what they were doing and that they kept entirely within constitutional limitations. If they didn't then their work might be annulled when subjected to the tests of the courts.

They simply didn't care to take any chances on that colored "electorate," and they showed level-headed sense in disposing of the question as they did, although there was some difference of opinion on it in Virginia.

"Blue eyed" Herman, who about a year ago retired from the shoe shine business in New York has resumed it. Within a year he won and lost $40,000 on horse races. Luck was with him at first but was dead against him at last, so he went broke [and had to borrow] money to buy his box of shoe shine and brushes to resume business.

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If you are sleepless, rheumatic, neuralgic, dyspeptic, or have the shadows of disease hovering over you; if you are not as bright, energetic, and strong as you were some weeks ago, the use of Paine's Celery Compound will tone up and fortify your whole system, cleanse the blood, correct digestion, sharpen the appetite, and conduce to restful sleep. Thousands once in a half-dead condition owe their present good health to the use of Paine's Celery Compound. Mr. Wm. S. Gibson, of Pleasureville, Ky., who, through sickness and suffering, was brought near the dark grave, writes as follows, regarding his marvelous cure:—

"I have been broken down in health and strength, nervous system shattered, kidneys out of order, had nervous and trembling spells off and on for the last ten years. I have taken three bottles of your Paine's Celery Compound and all of the above-mentioned troubles have left me, and I can now do a good day's work. I go about my business all day long and it don't worry me, and I now feel better than I have in ten years. I have a good appetite, and can eat and get around on foot as active as when I was a boy. My age is 65 years."

NOTICE TO THE SUGAR TRUST.

In the conference of the beet sugar Senators Thursday notice was served on the Sugar Trust that unless the reciprocity question with Cuba be dropped or their rebate proposition accepted they will vote for the House bill repealing the differential duties on refined sugars from Cuba. This is practically serving notice on the Havemeyer Trust, which favors a lower duty, or no duty at all, on raw sugar, but is opposed to any reduction on refined sugars, that the war with it is on.

The Havemeyer Trust has been exceedingly active in promoting reciprocity with Cuba, not only advocating it through circulars widely distributed, but also by contributing to the fund used for that purpose. a fact which was testified to before the Senate Committee by Mr. Thurber, president of the Export Association.

As far as reciprocity on sugar goes it will be of little benefit to sugar consumers in this country if the tax be reduced on raw sugar and retained on refined. That would benefit only the Sugar Trust, which would get its raw sugar at a reduced price but would keep up the price on refined sugars. For this reason public sentiment, or at least that portion of it which favors reciprocity favors, including both raw and refined sugars in whatever reduce tions may be made, and while there is little sympathy with the beet or cane sugar manufacturers, both of whom are actuated by selfishness in their opposition to reciprocity, there is pretty general agreement with them in their determination to fight the Sugar Trust by insisting that raw and refined sugars shall be dealt with alike, if dealt with at all.

But they do not deserve any credit for this, for they are simply acting in the spirit of retaliation, without any consideration for the public, whom they and the Havemeyer Trust have both been levying tribute upon.

Coal mining is carried on in 27 out of the 45 States in the Union. Last year all but four showed an increased production over the previous year. The total production was 292,246,758 tons—224,769,091 bituminous and 67,471,667 Pennsylvania anthracite. The total value was $348,813,831 — bituminous $236,309,811, anthracite $112,504,020.

It is said that Oom Paul will not go back to South Africa but will spend the balance of his days in Holland, where he will not run up against Britons so much. As the old man is financially solid and frugal in his tastes he can manage to get along pretty comfortably.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Charles Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood; but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained fifty-eight pounds." It is absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung troubles. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Duplin *Journal*: Our farmers spent their strawberry money last year destroying grass and are now seen daily spending their berry money buying hay. But only our farmers can afford it.

— Winston *Journal*: Robert Stafford, ex-sheriff of Guilford county and about seventy years old, died Wednesday at his home in Guilford county. Mr. Stafford was sheriff of his county for eighteen years.

— Kinston *Free Press*: The fine rain of Sunday sent tobacco plants scooting skyward and spreading out with wonderful rapidity. Mr. L. J. Moore, whose fine five acre field at Bucklesberry was described late last week reports that on Monday the average size of leaves in the same field was 20x30.

— Asheville *Citizen*: Alarming reports as to the fruit crop come in from Madison county. It is said that young fruit is dropping off to a greater extent than ever seen in this section, in some instances almost totally covering the ground underneath the trees. This is particularly the case with the peaches, but the apples too are falling badly, and fears are entertained that the whole fruit crop may be almost a complete failure.

— Weldon *News*: A negro named Powell, living near Aurelian Springs, awoke Saturday morning and found his wife dead in bed by his side. He ran for her mother, who lived near, and just as the old woman entered the house, where her daughter lay dead, she dropped suddenly dead. Two sudden deaths in the house caused the greatest alarm among the other negroes of the neighborhood, and they began to pray earnestly, believing it to be a warning.

— Mount Airy *News*: The crops are backward in Surry county this year. Too cool and too dry for the time of year. —— The slaughter of timber for tan bark in this county is doing great harm. Bottom land will soon be ruined and future generations will suffer for our mistakes. Farmers, take care of your timber. —— The factories in Mount Airy engaged in manufacturing of different kinds are all running in full blast this year and turning out thousands of dollars worth of goods every week. All operatives are paid in cash for their services, thus scattering broadcast lots of money in this community.

— Greenville *Reflector*: The situation from continued dry weather in some sections of the county is becoming appaling. A number of farmers tried several times to get a stand of tobacco but the plants died as fast as they were set out. Then they planted the land in cotton and there has not been enough rain to bring the cotton up. The weather report continues to indicate fair and warmer weather, but if it continues dry and hot a few days more crops on many farms will be almost a complete failure. Some sections of the county have had nice seasons and better crops are the result.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*: W. M. Nelson, a merchant of Collettaville, a married man with three children, has deserted his wife and family and eloped with Mrs. Lawrence Coffey, the wife of one of the most esteemed citizens of Lenoir, N. C., and moreover a mother with a child a year old. Mrs. Coffey left Friday to come to Lenoir to attend Davenport commencement and pay a visit to her parents. Mr. Nelson came down Friday and the two left on Friday's train, going to Newton, and bought tickets for Knoxville. Mr. Powell and son, Russell Powell, father and brother of Mrs. Coffey, went to Knoxville, where they learned that the eloping pair bought tickets for some po nt in California.

— Raleigh *Post*: The Edgemont cotton mill, in Durham started about twelve months ago, has increased its capacity fifty per cent. Recently two hundred and forty looms were added making a total of five hundred and twenty looms. Previous to enlarging the plant there were seventeen thousand spindles in the factory and the addition of eight thousand five hundred makes a total of twenty-five thousand five hundred spindles. The Erwin mill is talking of doubling the size of the plant and if this is done it will mean the employment of a large number of new hands in Durham. It is a settled fact that the Erwin mill will be enlarged but the location of the plant has not been decided on. The enlargement of the Edgemont mill means the employment of several hundred hands.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Hon. Carroll D. Wright has been hobnobbing with the coal barons. Republican solicitude for labor is always poignant just before a Congressional election, and Roosevelt's special commissioner will doubtless be able to make the barons see light.—*Norfolk Virginia-Pilot, Dem.*

—— Over in St. Louis, where Mark Twain was last week, they spoke of him seriously in the papers as Dr. Clemens. The Clemens is reorganizable, but the "Dr." is a mystery until the discovery is made that Mark is one of the countless victims of the college honorary degree habit. St. Louis is very funny herself something, without intending to be so.—*Louisville Courier-Journal, Dem.*

—— It has been thought that Senator Hanna, in joining the Civic Federation and exhibiting an interest in the labor organizations, had helped his boom for the Presidental nomination of his party; but now it is a question whether President Roosevelt, in sending his Labor Commissioner to confer with the president of the striking miners, hasn't stolen a march on Hanna.—*Brooklyn Citizen, Dem.*

Although sugar has become a luxury to the poor of Germany by the enhancement of its cost in duties and excise taxes, the agrarians are making a desperate effort to postpone the ratification of the Brussels Conference treaty for abolition of the export bounties on sugar. By all accounts this agrarian attempt to maintain the cost of what in all civilized countries is a necessary of living is destined this time to prove a failure. A proof of this is the Reichstag's recent action in passing on second reading, with little opposition, the bill to ratify the Brussels Conference treaty.—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

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— Georgie—Paw, what is a philanthropist? Father—An easy mark, my son.—*Ohio State Journal.*

— Hewitt—I'm going to give you fits, Jewett—If you can do it, you shall be my tailor.—*N. Y. Times.*

— First American Boy—My papa lives like a prince. Second American Boy—That's nothing. My papa lives like the president of a trust.—*Detroit Free Press.*

— "So you have made peace?" "Yes," answered the defeated general of a thrifty nation. "What were the terms?" "Terms, cash," was the laconic answer.—*Washington Star.*

— Another View: He—But she spends too much money, His Wife—No-o, I don't think so; but her husband doesn't make enough.—*Brooklyn Life.*

— "I had my photograph taken yesterday," said the young lady boarder who was always talking. "What did the man use?" asked the crabbet boarder. "a kinetoscope?"—*What td Eat.*

— "China is a great nation, isn't it?" "Certainly not." "But it has an enormous population." "That has nothing to do with it. A great nation is one that can outline its own foreign policy."—*Chicago Post.*

— Johnny—I heard pa tell the servant she was an angel. Can she fly, mamma? Mamma—Yes, you bet she can, and she will fly out of this house bright and early in the morning.—*Chelsea Gazette.*

— "You may be thankful for your excellent constitution. It has pulled you through many a spell of sickness." "But, doctor, if I have such a blamed strong constitution why am I always getting sick?"—*Chicago Tribune.*

— "Can you drive a horse with one arm?" asked the coquettish lady of the Summer boarder who had invited her to a ride. "Can I?" he responded. "I can drive with my feet. I used to be the armless wonder in a dime museum."—*What to Eat.*

— "Who is the new arrival?" asked Satan. "He was a Beef Trust magnate," responded the imp; "shall I put him in the furnace?" "No; he was roasted so much on earth that he wouldn't mind it. Put him to work shovelling coal."—*Philadelphia Record.*

NOT A SUCCESS.

Why the Minister Failed to Go on an Expected Vacation.

"Our minister did not go on his vacation this summer as he expected," said Brown, with an amused smile. "He fully intended to and had made his arrangements to that effect. But circumstances over which he had no control were such that he decided at the last minute to stay at home.

"My wife and several other enthusiastic women members of the church hit upon the happy idea of raising a fund sufficient to defray the good man's expenses, as he has a large family and finds it difficult to make both ends meet. With this in view they held several 'affairs,' and at last were the proud possessors of something over $50. Then they decided to make the presentation a gala event and give the members of the church a chance to send the Rev. Mr. Blank away with the good wishes of the whole congregation.

"It occurred to my wife that a little music would add to the happy occasion, and she saw that some musicians were engaged. Another member of the committee thought that a light lunch would be a happy idea and took it upon herself to see that it was ordered. Another one conceived the plan of having the church decorated for the auspicious occasion and hired a man to do the work.

"Early in the evening when they met to compare notes they discovered, to their horror, that their expenses had not only eaten up the amount that they had raised, but had left them a matter of two or three dollars in debt, so the presentation had to be omitted.

"I asked my wife who she expected was going to make this amount good, and she snapped:

"'The Reverend Mr. Blank, of course! It was all done in his interest!'"—Detroit Free Press.

Honors Even.

She—You know, John, you promised me a sealskin wrap, and—

He—And you promised to keep my stockings darned, and you haven't done it.

She—Well, you don't mean to say you'll break your promise on that account?

He—Well, it's just this: You don't give a darn, and I don't give a wrap.—Philadelphia Press.

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TAR—Market firm at $1.45 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.40 per barrel for hard, $2.50 for dip, and $2.60 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine steady at 33@32½c; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar firm at $1.50 bid; crude turpentine steady at $1.10@2.10.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	115
Rosin	179
Tar	25
Crude turpentine	137

Receipts same day last year—110 casks spirits turpentine, 148 barrels rosin, 95 barrels tar, 162 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 9¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	6 7-16 cts. ₱ lb
Good ordinary	8¼ " "
Low middling	8 7-16 " "
Middling	9¼ " "
Good middling	9 3-16 " "

Same day last year, market firm at 7¾c for middling.

Receipts—70 bales; same day last year, 35.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c. Spanish, 75@80c.

CORN—Firm; 80@83½c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13@14c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Firm at 15@16c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 27@35c; springs, 20@25c.

TURKEYS—No sale.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 70@75c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 13.—Money on call was steady at 2½@3 per cent., closing, bid and asked, 2½@3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange was steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487½@487¼ for demand and at 484½ for sixty days. Posted rates 485½@486 and 488@488½. Commercial bills 484¾@485¾. Bar silver 52. Mexican dollars 42. Government bonds easy. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds were firm. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 107¾; U. S. refunding 3's, coupon, 108½; U. S. 3's, registered, 107; do. coupon, 107. U. S. 4's, new registered, 135½; do., coupon 135½; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 109½; do. coupon, 110¾; U. S. 5's registered, 105; do. coupon, 105; Southern Railway, 5's, 123½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 108¾; Chesapeake & Ohio 47; Manhattan L 131¼; New York Central 155½; Reading 65; do. 1st preferred 84¼; do. 2nd preferred 69½; St. Paul 172½; do. pref'd, 190; Southern Railway 37½; do. pref'd 94½; Amalgamated Copper 68¾; Am'n Tobacco —; People's Gas 102; Sugar 127⅞; Tennessee Coal and Iron 64½; U. S. Leather 13¼; do. pref'd, 83¾; Western Union 91¾; U. S. Steel 39½; do. preferred 89¼; National R. R. of Mexico 18⅝; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 70¼; do. preferred, 131¼; Standard Oil 625@628.

BALTIMORE, June 13.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 25½@26; do. preferred, 45½; bonds 4s 85½.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 13.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine dull.

CHARLESTON, June 13.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

SAVANNAH, June 13.—Spirits turpentine firm at 45¾c; receipts 852 casks; sales 720 casks; exports — casks. Rosin firm; receipts 2,060 barrels; sales 923 barrels; exports 4,814 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 25; E, $1 25; F, $1 35; G, $1 40; H, $1 65; I, $2 00; K $2 50; M, $2 95; N, $3 30; W G, $3 45; W W, $3 65.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegramm to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, June 13.—The cotton market opened quiet and steady with prices unchanged to two points higher on light general buying led by local shorts and European interests, based in part on a dry weather map for the entire cotton belt and rather better Liverpool cables than looked for. Yet public buying was light and the bull element was slow to give support. Almost immediately following the whole market suffered a set-back of five to six points under hurried liquidation by insiders who were prompted to this course by a prediction for general rains over the eastern portion of the belt tonight and to-morrow, while a rainfall of over three inches in Key West led to apprehension of a West Indian storm which might cover the whole cotton country within the next few days. But as the forenoon progressed the fears of the bulls were less pronounced and the shorts became uneasy, owing to private reports of hot winds and very high temperatures in Texas. The weather chart gave 80 to 82 degrees over extensive areas of the belt at 8 P. M. and private wires stated this later at 86 and 88 degrees. There were more complaints of actual damage to the plant in portions of the western belt and fewer good crop accounts than of late. By noon the market was steady again and back to last night's bids with the feeling rather bullish. The insight figures of Superintendent King indicated 43,485 bales or about as expected. Reports that spot cotton was hardening helped to strengthen bull confidence. During the last hour the market worked steadily upward with shorts active buyers. The close was quiet and steady with prices net four to ten points higher. Total sales were estimated at about 100,000 bales. The late official weather forecast indicated generally fair conditions over the western belt. Fear of to-morrow's *Chronicle* weather summary and anticipation of firmer English cables were factors in the late advance.

NEW YORK, June 13.—Cotton firm at 9 7-16c; net receipts — bales; gross receipts 1,064 bales; stock—no report.

Spot cotton closed firm; middling uplands 9 7-16c; middling gulf 9 11-16; sales 500 bales.

Futures closed quiet, steady: June 9.05, July 8 81, August 8.54, September 8.19, October 8.05, November 7.94, December 7.99, January 7.99, February 7.99, March 8.01.

Total to-day—Net receipts 3,313 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,370 bales; exports to France 2,626 bales; exports to the Continent 5,229 bales; stock 381,972 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 23,984 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,537 bales; exports to France 4,386 bales; exports to the Continent 9,390 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 7,421,375 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,953,358 bales; exports to France 711,833 bales; exports to the Continent 2,885,116 bales.

June 13.—Galveston, steady at 9¼c, net receipts 103 bales; Norfolk, dull at 9¼c, net receipts 58 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 9 3-16c, net receipts 1,123 bales; Boston, quiet and steady at 9 7-16c, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, firm at 9¼c, net receipts 70 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 9 11-16c, net receipts 27 bales; Savannah, steady at 9 ⅛c, net receipts 1,571 bales; New Orleans, steady at 9 5-16c, net receipts 1,146 bales; Mobile, nominal at 9c, net receipts 9 bales; Memphis, quiet at 9c, net receipts 10 bales; Augusta, steady at 9 3-16c, net receipts — bales; Charleston, quiet and nominal, net receipts — bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 13.—Flour was held firm at 5@10c advance. Rye flour steady; fair to good $3 25@3 45. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 78¼c. Options were firm and higher from the start, deriving the first impetus from good foreign buying based on bad weather in England and France. Showers in harvesting districts of the Southwest also helped our market, offsetting the arrival of new wheat at St. Louis. Offerings were light all day especially of new crop options. Near the close prices eased off under realizing and were finally ½c net higher. The sales included: July closed 78¾c; September 76¼c; December 77¾c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 71½c. Options were dull and while firm at first on the wheat strength, displayed little bullishness, owing to a lack of support except on December, which closed ½c higher against ½c decline otherwise. July closed 67¼c; September closed 63¾c; December closed 50¾c. Oats—Spot firm; No. 2 47c. Options market quiet but firmer on rains in the big oats States. Pork quiet. Lard steady; June closed $10 72, nominal; refined steady. Butter steady; creamery 19¼@21c; State dairy 18@21c. Eggs were steady; State and Pennsylvania 17½@18c; Southern 15@16c. Potatoes firm; State and Western, per sack, $2 00@3 25, new $3 00@4 00; Southern prime, per barrel, $3 00@4 00. Rice quiet. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5¼c; mild quiet; Cordova 8@11¼c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3c; centrifugal 96 test, 3¼c; refined firm. Cheese irregular; new State full cream, small colored, choice, 9¼@9¾c; white 10¼c. Cabbage were quoted firm; Norfolk, barrel crate $1 75@2 00. Freights to Liverpool-Cotton by steam 10c. Peanuts firm; fancy hand-picked 5c; other domestic 3¼@4¼c. Cotton seed oil—No further change occurred in prices, and with a slow trade the market again closed rather easy. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills 36c; prime summer yellow 45@45½c; off summer yellow 44@45c; prime white 48@48½c; prime winter yellow 49@50c; prime meal $38 00@38 50, nominal.

CHICAGO, June 13.—Wet weather threatened all grains to-day and put a bullish prop under the speculative pits. Ripe wheat in Kansas was reported under water, corn fields were weedy and water sogged and the water on the oats was anything but beneficial. Trade was only fairly active and was influenced largely by the leading cereal. At the close, July wheat was ¼@⅝c higher, July corn a shade lower and July oats ⅛c higher. Provisions dragged dully and closed unchanged to 2½c higher.

CHICAGO, June 13.—Cash prices: Flour dull, easy. Wheat—No. 2 —c; No. 3 spring 69@72¾c; No. 2 red 80@80½c. Corn—No. 2 —c; No. 2 yellow —. Oats—No. 2 43¾@44¼c; No. 3 white 47¼@47½c; No. 3 white 47¾c. Mess pork, per barrel, $17 70@17 73½. Lard, per 100 lbs., quoted $10 37½. Short rib sides, loose, $10 42½@10 52½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $8 25@8 62½. Short clear sides, boxed, $10 75@10 85. Whiskey-Basis of high wines, 1 30.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July 72¾@73¾, 73¾, 72¾, 73¾c; September 70½@70¾, 71¼@71¾, 70¾, 70¾@71c; December 71⅞@73, 73½, 71⅞, 72¾@72¼c. Corn—No. 2, July 63¼@63¾, 63¾, 63¼@63¼, 63¼@63½c; September 58¾@58¾, 58¾, 58¾, 58¾@58¾c; December 44¾@44¾, 44¾, 44¼, 44¾. Oats—July, old, 37½@38, 38, 37¾, 37½c; July, new, 40@40½, 40¼, 39⅞, 40c; September, old, 28⅞, 29, 28¾, 28⅞; September new, 30¾@31, 31¼@31¼, 30¾@30¾, 30½c; December, new, 31, 31@31¼, 30¼@30¾, 30½@30¾. Mess pork, per bbl—July $17 67½, 17 67½, 17 60, 17 60; September $17 75, 17 80, 17 70, 17 72½. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $10 30, 10 33½, 10 30, 10 30; September $10 32½, 10 37½, 10 33½, 10 35. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $10 55, 10 55, 10 47½, 10 47½; September $10 30, 10 35, 10 30, 10 30.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, June 13.—Cotton: Spot, fair in demand; prices barely supported; American middling 5 1-16d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 2,500 bales were for speculation and export and included 9,000 bales American. Receipts 18,000 bales, including 9,300 bales American.

Futures opened firm and closed quiet; American middling (g o c) June 4 55-64@4 56-64d buyer; June and July 4 54@4 55-64-64d buyer; July and August 4 53-64d seller; August and September 4 47-64d seller; September and October 4 35-64@4 36-64d seller; October and November 4 28-64d seller; November and December 4 25-64@4 26-64d seller; December and January 4 24-64@4 25-64d seller; January and February 4 24-64d seller.

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DEMOCRATIC PLAN OF ORGANIZATION.

1. The unit of county organization shall be the voting precincts. In each precinct there shall be an executive committee, to consist of five active Democrats, who shall be elected by the Democratic voters at the several precincts in the meeting first called by the county executive committee. And said committee so elected shall elect one of its members as chairman, who shall preside at all committee meetings.

2. The chairmen of the several precinct committees shall compose the county executive committee, which shall meet at the same time and place as the county convention first held in each election year, and elect a chairman of said county committee who need not be a member of the committee, and he shall preside at all meetings of said committee, and shall hold his place until his successor shall be elected. A majority of said precinct chairmen, in person, or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum. The county committee shall likewise appoint a central committee of five, who shall act in its stead when the county committee is not in session.

3. In case there shall be a failure on the part of any precinct to elect its executive committee for a period of thirty days, the county executive committee shall appoint said committee from the Democratic voters of said precinct.

4. The members of the precinct committee shall elect to any vacancy occurring in said committee.

5. The county executive committee shall call all necessary conventions by giving at least ten days' notice by public advertisement in three public places in each precinct, at the court house door, and any Democratic newspapers that may be published in said county, requesting all Democrats of the county to meet in their respective precincts on a common day therein stated, which said day shall not be less than three days before the meeting of the county conventions, for the purpose of electing their delegates to the county conventions. Thereupon the meeting so held shall elect their delegates to represent the precincts in the county convention from the voters of the respective voting precincts, which delegates, or such of them as shall attend, shall vote the full Democratic strength of their respective voting precincts on all questions that may come before said county conventions. In case no meeting shall be held in any precinct in pursuance of said call, or no election shall be made, the precinct executive committee shall appoint such delegates.

PRIMARIES.

6. At every precinct meeting there shall (before the delegates to the county convention are elected) be a vote taken for the different candidates for office, whose names may be presented and the delegates shall vote in the county convention of their respective districts in accordance with this vote; that is to say, each candidate shall receive in the county convention that proportion of the vote to which the precinct may be entitled which he received in the precinct meeting. The chairman and secretary of the precinct meeting shall certify to the county convention the vote received by each candidate at the precinct meeting.

7. Each precinct shall be entitled to cast in the county convention one vote for every twenty-five Democratic votes, and one vote for fractions of thirteen Democratic votes cast by the township at the last preceding gubernatorial election. Provided, that every voting precinct shall be entitled to cast one vote, and each precinct may send as many delegates as it may see fit.

8. The chairmen of the precinct committees shall preside at all precinct meetings. In their absence any other member of said committees may preside.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT CONVENTIONS

1. The several county conventions shall be entitled to elect to their senatorial, judicial and congressional conventions one delegate and one alternate for every fifty Democratic votes, and one delegate for fractions of over twenty-five Democratic votes cast at the last preceding gubernatorial election in their respective counties; and none but delegates or alternates so elected shall be entitled to a seat in said conventions: Provided, further, That in all county conventions in which delegates shall be selected to attend any State, congressional, judicial or other convention, a vote shall be taken in accordance with the plan of organization as to the candidates whose names may be presented to such county convention. The delegates shall be selected from the friends and supporters of each candidate voted for, in proportion to the number of votes he shall receive in such county convention and no other instruction shall be given: Provided further, That when only one candidate is presented and voted for at each county convention it shall be lawful to instruct for such candidate.

2. At every county convention (before delegates to State, congressional, judicial, senatorial or other conventions are chosen) there shall be a vote taken for the different candidates for office whose names may be presented and the delegates shall vote their respective counties in accordance with this vote, that is to say each candidate shall receive in the State, congressional, judicial, senatorial or other convention the proportion of the vote to which the county may be entitled which he received in the county convention. The chairman and secretary of the county convention shall certify to each convention the vote received by each candidate given: Provided, That where only one candidate is presented it shall be lawful to instruct for him. At all State and district conventions the delegates from the different counties may disregard the vote of their respective counties as to any candidate: Provided, That a two-thirds majority of all his votes from the county consent.

3. The chairman, or in his absence any member of the county, senatorial, judicial and congressional convention shall call to order their respective conventions and hold chairmanship thereof until the convention shall elect its chairman.

4. The executive committees of the senatorial, congressional and judicial districts, respectively, shall, at the call of their respective chairmen, meet at some time and place in their respective districts, and the chairmen of said respective committees shall immediately notify the chairmen of the different county executive committees of the said appointment and the said county executive committee shall forthwith call conventions of their respective counties in conformity to said notice to send delegates to said respective district conventions.

STATE CONVENTIONS.

The State convention shall be composed of delegates appointed by the several county conventions. Each county shall be entitled to elect one delegate and one alternate for every one hundred and fifty Democratic votes and one delegate for fractions over seventy-five Democratic votes cast therein at the last preceding gubernatorial election; and none but delegates or alternates so elected shall be entitled to seats in said convention: Provided, That every county shall have at least one vote in the convention.

Resolution passed at meeting of executive committee, November 30, 1897:

"*Resolved*, That in accordance with the resolution hereinbefore adopted, all white electors who intend to vote with us in the next election, and who desire the re-establishment of Anglo-Saxon supremacy and honest government in North Carolina are cordially invited to participate in all our primaries and conventions."

GENERAL RULES.

1. At all conventions the delegates shall be selected as near as may be from the friends and supporters of the candidates voted for.

2. Such delegates—or alternates of absent delegates—as may be present at any Democratic convention shall be allowed to cast the whole vote to which their precinct or county may be entitled.

3. In all conventions provided for by this system, after a vote is cast, there shall be no change in such votes until the final result of the ballot shall be announced by the chairman of said convention.

4. All Democratic executive committees shall have the power to fill any vacancies occurring in their respective bodies.

5. The chairmen of the different county conventions shall certify the list of delegates and alternates of the different district and State conventions, and a certified list of said delegates and alternates to the secretary of the State central committee.

6. It shall be the duty of the county committee and its chairman to furnish such information and make such reports to the chairman of the State committee as he may desire.

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DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. No. 49—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.31 A. M., Goldsboro 12.31 P. M., Wilson 1.19 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M. Weldon 4.53 P. M., Petersburg 5.45 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 8.5[illegible] P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 1.38 A. M., Philadelphia 4.55 A. M., New York 7.15 A. M., *Boston 2.35 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.20 P. M., Warsaw 8.40 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., *Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M. Weldon 1.50 A. M., *Norfolk 1.00 P. M. Petersburg 3.05 A. M., Richmond 4.12 A. M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 5.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 4.25 P. M. No. 62—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.15 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M. No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A. M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.48 A. M., Florence 9.35 A. M., Lanes 11.06 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M.

DAILY 2.45 P. M. No. 35—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.03 P. M., Chadbourn 5.43 P. M. Marion 6.56 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M. Denmark 6.31 A. M., Augusta 8.15 A. M. Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.45 P. M. Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 2.00 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.10 A. M. No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.40 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.55 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. No. 42 Passenger—Leave Boston *1.00 P. M., New York 12.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.00 A. M., Baltimore 2.55 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 7.05 A. M., Petersburg 8.09 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.56 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.45 P. M., Goldsboro 3.15 P. M., Warsaw 4.10 P. M., Magnolia 4.25 P. M.

DAILY 10.10 A. M. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 2.30 A. M., Philadelphia 12.08 P. M., Baltimore 2.16 P. M., Washington 3.45 P. M., Richmond 7.15 P. M., Petersburg 8.02 P. M., *Norfolk 4.00 P. M., Weldon 2.43 P. M., †Tarboro 7.02 P. M., Rocky Mount 8.45 A. M. Leave Wilson 9.05 A. M., Goldsboro 7.31 A. M., Warsaw 9.04 A. M., Magnolia 8.37 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 63—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.35 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY except Sunday 11.15 P. M. No. 50—Leave Charleston 4.25 P. M. Lanes 6.21 P. M., Florence 8.30 P. M., Marion 9.50 P. M., Chadbourn 10.08 P. M. Lake Waccamaw 10.21 P. M.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 9.40 A. M., Sanford 2.10 P. M., Jacksonville 8.30 P. M., Savannah 1.30 A. M., Charleston 6.45 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 2.00 A. M., Augusta 2.20 P. M., Denmark 4.28 P. M. Columbia 6.55 A. M., Sumter 8.30 P. M., Florence 10.10 A. M., Marion 10.52 A. M., Chadbourn 11.53 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.30 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 7.30 P. M. No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 3.10 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.30 P. M., Leave Fayetteville 4.40 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with train No. 78 at Maxton with the Carolina Central railroad at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.10 A. M. Maxton 9.05 A. M., Red Springs 9.52 A. M., Parkton 10.06 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.35 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 5.00 P. M., Hope Mills 5.35 P. M., Red Springs 5.51 P. M., Maxton 6.22 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.25 P. M.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.15 P. M., Halifax 3.29 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 4.10 P. M., Greenville 5.47 P. M., Kinston 6.45 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.30 A. M., Greenville 8.30 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.05 A. m., Weldon 11.30 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 A. M. and 1.45 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.55 A. M. and 3.10 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.15 A. M. and 5.32 P. M.; arrives Washington 10.35 A. M and 6.15 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 4.35 P. M.; arrive Plymouth 6.35 P. M. and 8.30 P. M. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.00 A. M. and Monday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 9.55 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 5.00 A. M., arriving Smithfield 6.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M. 4.00 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.30 A. M. 4.33 P. M., Spring Hope 11.05 A. M. 4.45 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 5.15 P. M., Nashville 11.40 A. M. 5.45 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 6.30 A. M. and 4.15 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 7.00 A. M. and 4.30 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.28 A. M., arrive Latta 10.46 A. M., Dillon 10.55 A. M., Rowland 11.15 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 4.22 P. M.; arrives Dillon 4.44 P. M., Latta 7.00 P. M., Pee Dee 7.25 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 12.10 P. M.; arrive Conway 1.40 P. M.; returning leave Conway 2.30 P. M. arrive Chadbourn 3.20 P. M. leave Chadbourn 5.30 P. M.; arrive Elrod 6.20 A. M., returning leave Elrod 8.40 A. M., arrive Chadbourn 11.25 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 6.30 P. M., Manning 8.03 P. M.; arrive Lane's 7.35 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.35 A. M., Manning 9.14 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.45 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M., †7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A. M., *8.20 P. M.; and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 1.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro.....	11 05	.....
.....	4 22	Kinston.....	10 19	.....
5 40	5 50	Newberne.....	9 27	9 00
7 05	7 07	Morehead City.	7 32	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.45 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 1.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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Seacoast Railroad.

Summer Schedule, 1902, in effect June 1st.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View,
*6.30 A. M. daily.	*7.10 A. M. daily.
10.30 A. M. daily.	11.30 A. M. daily.
1.00 P. M. Sat. only.	2.00 P. M. Sat. only.
3.00 P. M. daily.	4.00 P. M. daily.
5.30 P. M. daily.	6.30 P. M. daily.
7.30 P. M. daily.	10.00 P. M. daily.
†11.00 P. M.	†12.00 P. M.

*Except Sunday.
†Friday and Saturday only.

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All classes of freight will be handled on the 10.30 A. M. and 5.30 P. M. trains. The 6.30 A. M. and the 7.30 P. M. trains will carry perishable freight only.

Freight for 6.30 A. M. train	Not rec'd after 6.15 A. M.
" 10.30 A. M	" 10.00 A. M.
" 5.30 P. M.	" 5.00 P. M.
" 7.30 P. M.	" 7.15 P. M.

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SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 14.

ROOSEVELT AND THE RECIPROCITY QUESTION.

President's Attitude on the Subject—His Message to Congress--Will Probably End His Efforts on That Line.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—After talking with a number of the leaders in Congress regarding Cuban reciprocity, President Roosevelt determined to send a message to Congress re affirming his attitude on the subject. The President earnestly considered the matter for several days and it is stated that the action of the anti-reciprocity Republican Senators yesterday in deciding to hold out against the policy advocated by the majority of the party did not influence the President in the least in deciding to transmit his message to Congress to-day.

The President's action it may be stated from sources close to him, was influenced by the broad question of the duty of the United States to Cuba and of fairness to the new republic.

It has been pointed out to the President that his warmest political support is in the section of the country where there is the greatest opposition to reciprocity, the West and Northwest, and that he should remain content with the stand he had taken without accentuating his views in a special message. It is known, however, that the President did not hesitate to arrive at the conclusion that he would not let his political prospects interfere with what he regarded as his plain duty. It is further known that he told his friends that it was a source of nreat regret to him to take a position hostile to the wishes of his warmest supporters, but that he felt it would not be in keeping with his own nature and his position of chief executive to longer remain silent on this subject and thereby give an opportunity for false speculation as to his attitude.

It is stated that the President's positive declaration in his message to-day as to the duty of Congress probably will end his active efforts to bring about reciprocity.

IN CONGRESS YESTERDAY.

House Passed the Irrigation Bill—Senate Engaged With Executive Business. President's Message Received.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 13.—The House to-day passed the Irrigation bill by a vote of 146 to 55. Many amendments were offered, but only one, except those ordered by the committee, was added. It was of a minor character. The bill already has passed the Senate. The friends of the measure greeted the announcement of its passage with a round of applause. The bill as passed creates a reclamation fund from the sale of public lands in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, Nevada, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington and Wyoming, less the amount paid to local land offices and five per cent. due to the State under existing laws for educational purposes, which is to be used for the construction and maintenance of irrigation works in the States and Territories enumerated.

In the Senate.

During the greater part of to-day's session the Senate was engaged in the transaction of executive business, the nomination of Captain Crozier to be chief of ordnance of the army being the particular subject under consideration.

The President's message urging the establishment of reciprocal relations between the United States and Cuba, was received after the Senate had gone into secret session. The doors were opened, the message read, and then the secret session was resumed.

To the reading of the message senators on both sides of the chamber listened with profound attention. The attendance of senators was notably large, indicating the great interest being manifested in the subject.

At the conclusion of the reading the chair announced that the message would be referred to the Committee on Relations with Cuba.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

For the Week Ending Friday, June 13th, 1902.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 13.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending June 13th, 1902:

	1902.	1901.
Net receipts at all U. S. ports during the week....	23,984	54,129
Total receipts to this date	7,421,395	7,145,751
Exports for week..	31,272	82,241
Total exports to date	6,255,306	5,970,311
Stock in all U. S. ports.	381,972	402,184
Stock at all interior towns.....	134,165	335,277
Stock in Liverpool,	948,000	721,000
American afloat for Great Britain ...	17,000	80,000

TOTAL NET RECEIPTS OF COTTON.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 13.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st, 1901: Galveston, 2,023,130 bales; New Orleans, 2,215,559; Mobile, 152,130; Savannah, 1,108,159; Charleston, 262,774; Wilmington, 275,972; Norfolk, 446,877; Baltimore, 94,659; New York, 157,660; Boston, 118,949; Newport News, 21,609; Philadelphia, 32,289; Vancouver, 2,554; Brunswick, 118,712; Fernandina, 4,950; Pensacola, 171,198; Port Arthur, 51,976; Port Townsend, 109,756; San Francisco, 26,488; Portland, Ore., 12,219; El Paso, 1,390; Eagle Pass, 2,250; Laredo, 6,730. Total, 7,321,395.

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT.

Urging Congress to Pass the Bill for Reciprocal Relations With Cuba.

M'KINLEY'S RECOMMENDATION

Cites President Palma's Earnest Appeal for Relief Before It Is Too Late and His Country Is Financially Ruined.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—The President to-day sent the following message to Congress:

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I deem it important before the adjournment of the present session of Congress to call attention to the following expressions in the message which, in the discharge of the duty imposed upon me by the constitution, I sent to Congress on the first Tuesday of December last:

"Elsewhere I have discussed the question of reciprocity. In the case of Cuba, however, there are weighty reasons of morality and of national interest why the policy should be held to have a peculiar application, and I most earnestly ask your attention to the wisdom, indeed, to the vital need, of providing for a substantial reduction in the tariff duties on Cuban imports into the United States. Cuba has in her constitution affirmed what we desired, that she should stand, in international matters, in closer and more friendly relations with us than with any other power; and we are bound by every consideration of honor and expediency to pass commercial measures in the interest of her material well being."

McKinley's Words.

This recommendation was merely giving practical effect to President McKinley's words, when, in his messages of December 5th, 1898, and December 5th, 1899, he wrote:

"It is important that our relations with this people (of Cuba) shall be of the most friendly character and our commercial relations close and reciprocal. * * * * We have accepted a trust, the fulfillment of which calls for the sternest integrity of purpose and the exercise of the highest wisdom. The new Cuba yet to arise from the ashes of the past needs to be bound to us by ties of singular intimacy and strength if its enduring welfare is to be assured. * * * * The greatest blessing which can come to Cuba is the restoration of her agricultural and industrial prosperity."

Cuba's Appeal.

Yesterday, June 12th, I received by cable from the American minister in Cuba, a most earnest appeal from President Palma for "legislative relief before it is too late and his country financially ruined."

The granting of reciprocity with Cuba is a proposition which stands entirely alone. The reasons for it far outweigh those for granting reciprocity with any other nation and are entirely consistent with preserving intact the protective system under which this country has thrived so marvelously. The present tariff law was designed to promote the administration of such a reciprocity treaty, and expressly provide for a reduction not to exceed twenty per cent. upon goods coming from a particular country, leaving the tariff rates on the same articles unchanged as regards all other countries. Objection has been made to the granting of the reduction on the ground that the substantial benefit would not go to the agricultural producer of sugar, but would inure to the American sugar refineries. In my judgment provision can, and should be made which will guarantee us against this possibility; without having recourse to a measure of doubtful policy, such as a bounty in the form of a rebate.

Reciprocal Arrangement.

The question as to which if any of the different schedules of the tariff ought most properly to be revised does not enter into this matter in any way or shape. We are concerned with getting a friendly reciprocal arrangement with Cuba. This arrangement applies to all the articles that Cuba grows or produces. It is not in our power to determine what the articles shall be, and any discussion of the tariff as it affects special schedules or countries other than Cuba, is wholly aside from the subject matter to which I call your attention.

Some of our citizens oppose the lowering of the tariff on Cuban products, just as three years ago they opposed the admission of the Hawaiian islands, lest free trade with them might ruin certain of our interests here. In the actual event their fears proved baseless as regards Hawaii, and their apprehensions as to the damage to any industry of our own because of the proposed measure of reciprocity with Cuba seems to be equally baseless in my judgment.

No Industry Will Be Hurt,

and many American industries will be benefitted by the proposed action. It is to our advantage as a nation that the growing Cuban market should be controlled by American producers. The events following the war with Spain and prospective building of the Isthmian canal, render it certain that we must take in the future a far greater interest than hitherto in what happens throughout the West Indies, Central America and the adjacent coast and waters. We expect Cuba to treat us on an exceptional footing politically, and we should put her in the same exceptional position economically. The proposed action is in line with the course we have pursued as regards all the islands with which we have been brought into relations of varying intimacy by the Spanish war. Porto Rico and Hawaii have been included within our tariff lines, to their great benefit, as well as ours, and without any of the feared detriment to our own industries. The Philippines, which stand in a different relation, have been granted substantial concessions.

Special Obligations.

Cuba is an independent republic, but a republic which has assumed certain special obligations as regards her international position in compliance with our request. I ask for her certain special economic concessions in return; these economic concessions to benefit us as well as her. There are few brighter pages in American history than the page which tells of our dealings with Cuba during the past four years. On her behalf we waged a war of which the mainspring was generous indignation against oppression; and we have kept faith absolutely. It is earnestly to be hoped that we will complete in the same spirit the record so well begun, and show in our dealings with Cuba that steady continuity of policy which it is essential for our nation to establish in foreign affairs if we desire to play well our part as a world power.

Closing Appeal.

We are a wealthy and powerful nation; Cuba is a young republic, still weak, who owes to us her birth, whose whole future, whose very life must depend on our attitude towards her. I ask that we help her as she struggles upwards along the painful and difficult road of self governing independence. I ask this aid for her because she is weak, because she needs it, because we have already aided her. I ask that that open handed help, of a kind which a self-respecting people can accept, be given to Cuba, for the very reason that we have given her her help in the past. Our soldiers fought to give her freedom, and for three years our representatives, civil and military, have toiled unceasingly, facing disease of a peculiarly sinister and fatal type with patient and uncomplaining fortitude, to teach her how to use aright her new custom. Never in history has any alien country been thus administered with such high integrity of purpose, such wise judgment and such a single-minded devotion to the country's interests. Now I ask that the Cubans be given all possible space to use to the best advantage the freedom of which Americans have such right to be proud, (and for which so many American lives have been sacrificed.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

White House, June 13, 1902.

ANTHRACITE COAL MINERS.

Strike Situation in Pennsylvania is Unchanged—Rumors of a Sympathetic Strike in Illinois Mines.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WILKESBARRE, PA., June 13.—The work of the strikers in attempting to bring out all men who are still in the employ of the coal companies goes steadily on. Their campaign against the engineers, firemen and pumpmen is nearly over, most of these men being out and the Union is now paying attention to the fire bosses, clerks and others who have taken the places of those who quit. Pressure is being brought to bear on them in every possible way.

The miners' union is now planning to expel from the organization all engineers, firemen and pumpmen who have not yet obeyed the strike order. They have been given until to-morrow night to join the strikers, and if they do not quit they will be expelled and their names published throughout the region as "unfair" workmen.

The miners' leaders as a rule will not talk on the matter of boycotting, but the rank and file of the strikers openly admit that they try to boycott all men whom they look upon as being "unfair" workers.

CHICAGO, June 13.—W. D. Ryan, secretary and treasurer of the United Mine Workers of Illinois, accompanied by other State officials, will leave tonight for Wilkesbarre, Pa., where they will confer with officers of the anthracite district. What the mission to the striking field is they refuse to divulge, and Mr. Ryan refuses to confirm or deny any report that the miners of Illinois will strike in sympathy with the Pennsylvania men It is generally believed that the Illinois officials are going to confer with President Mitchell regarding a sympathetic strike in the Illinois coal fields.

BEET SUGAR SENATORS.

President's Reciprocity Message Made No Change in the Situation.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—The President's reciprocity message gave Senators a live topic of conversation to-day, but so far as is yet apparent, there is no change in the situation. There was a disposition on the part of the leaders on both sides of the controversy to claim, when speaking publicly, some advantage for the message. The straight reciprocity men urged that the effect would be to cause at least some of the beet sugar Republicans to abandon their opposition. They contended that many of them had misunderstood the attitude of the President and now that this had been made clear there could be no longer any excuse for opposing a straight reciprocity measure. The beet sugar leaders declared at the close of the day that the message had caused no loss whatever to them, and that all those senators who had stood with them yesterday are still with them.

CONDITIONS IN VENEZUELA.

No Confirmation of Bombardment of La Guira—Business at a Standstill.

By Cable to the Morning Star

KINGSTON, JAM., June 13.—The British steamer Trent, which arrived here to-day from West Indian ports, brought letters from Venezuela, dated June 4, but they did not contain anything regarding the report from Berlin of the bombardment of LaGuira, although it was known that President Castro had decided upon extreme measures to regain possession of Cuidad, Bolivar and other towns captured by the rebels.

Business is at a standstill everywhere in Venezuela, especially at LaGuira, Caracas and Valencia. Much indignation has been created in the republic by the imprisonment of General Fonseca, in consequence of his failure to meet President Castro's call for $200,000 and also by the President's call on the widow of General Guzman Blanco, a former president, for a similar amount.

VOLCANO IN HAWAII.

Another Outbreak—Flames and Smoke Rising Above the Crater.

[Correspondence of Associated Press.]

HONOLULU, June 6th, via San Francisco, June 13.—The volcano Kilauea, on Hawaii, has broken loose again, according to a report received to day by steamer. Flames and smoke are rising above the crater. The outbreak took place June 3 and up to the time of the last report from Hawaii, dated yesterday, it was still continuing. The outbreak has been foreshadowed for many days by an increase over the normal volume of smoke coming from the crater. There also have been slight earthquakes. No eruptions of lava or ashes have taken place.

BASEBALL.

Scores of Games Played Yesterday by the League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati, 7; New York, 5.
St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 3.
Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis, 1; Washington, 11.
Chicago, 9; Boston, 0.
Detroit, 0; Baltimore, 4.
Cleveland, 4; Philadelphia, 6.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Memphis, 6; Birmingham, 2.
Shreveport, 6; Nashville, 8.
New Orleans, 5; Atlanta, 4.
Little Rock, 7; Chattanooga, 1.

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STATE MILITIA STILL ON DUTY.

No Rioting Yesterday by the Strikers in the City of Pawtucket, R. I.

A FEW STRIKERS ARRESTED.

Cars Guarded by Troops--Deputy Sheriffs Withdrawn--The Wounded Boy Still Alive—All Saloons Are Closed. Soldiers in Full Control.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., June 13.—Action which the authorities hope means the beginning of the end of the reign of violence incident to the street railway strike was taken to-day by High Sheriff Hunter C. White removing his deputy sheriffs from the street cars. He did this on representations made to him that the deputies accomplished no good purpose, but incited the crowds to violence.

After the withdrawal of these men the city became quiet. The 1,500 troops ordered out by Governor Kimball yesterday are still on duty; but if conditions warrant they will be withdrawn gradually, the first installment to leave to-morrow.

There was no rioting during the day. Seven men were arrested for misdemeanors committed on Pawtucket avenue, the route of cars from Providence to this city.

The lines of the Pawtucket city system of the United Traction Company were not in operation and the lines in Central Falls, Cumberland and Albion, suburban towns, were tied up. Tomorrow it is proposed to re-open the city system under the protection of the police, aided by the militia.

When the first car of the Pawtucket avenue line reached the city to-day it was guarded by companies of militia and troops of cavalry, with machine guns trailing along. The car was escorted safely past the point where the attacks of yesterday were made. The crowd kept on the move and as soon as there was a sign of demonstration arrests were made, the prisoners being locked up at the State armory. They will be turned over to the police. After that the cars on the avenue were operated without further hindrance.

The military authorities, who yesterday seemed doubtful as to their authority, grasped the situation with vigor to-day. Orders were issued to take notice of any infraction of the peace and to arrest all who refused to obey their commands. Persons found shouting, placing obstructions on the track or otherwise demonstrating, were arrested at sight, and if there were any other demonstrations by the mob, orders were to warn the assemblage and then shoot if their injunctions were not heeded.

The boy that was shot in the neck by a deputy yesterday was still alive this evening.

This afternoon Mayor Fitzgerald ordered all the saloons closed in order to keep down any possible disturbances during the evening.

POCAHONTAS COAL FIELDS.

Situation Improved and a Resumption of Work With Full Forces Expected Next Week.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

ROANOKE, VA., June 13.—The officials of the N. & W. Railroad Company to-day stated that the situation in the Pocahontas coal fields is improved and the prospects for a resumption of work with full forces of miners are brighter than at any time since the strike was declared. There has been a gradual increase in the number of strikers returning to work during the week and to-day one mine is working 100 more Union men than on yesterday. The percentage of returning men in this mine is larger than at the other operations, but all of them are making gains. Every operation heard from is getting out some coal and it is thought from what reports have come from the fields, that 45 operations out of a total of forty-six are at work. The operators are of the opinion that the entire field will have resumed its normal condition by the middle of next week at the latest. Reports to the effect that outside labor is being sought are confirmed, but it is explained that at no time during the year is the force of miners sufficient to meet the demand, and consequently there is no special significance attached to this action. Many of the men who have gone to the field since the strike began were engaged a month ago. Practically all of those returning to work are Union men. There has been no reports of violence and none is expected.

WARM WIRELETS.

The President yesterday signed the River and Harbor bill.

Total bank clearings for the week ended June 12, $1,265,148,694; decrease 23 per cent.; outside New York, $757,685,544, decrease 3 per cent.

Fire in Atlanta yesterday destroyed the plant of the A. DeLoach Milling Company, entailing a loss estimated at $55,000, partially covered by insurance.

A tornado demolished two houses and severely injured seven people, five miles east of Memphis, yesterday. The district visited by the tornado is isolated.

Captain Hannett Robbins, of Port Norris, N. J, and Mrs. Pluma Haines, of Camden, N. J., were drowned opposite Camden. N. J., by the capsizing of the sloop Henry S. Robbins.

The House Committee on Naval Affairs has decided to postpone until next session the bill for the retirement of Naval Constructor R. P. Hobson, on account of defective eye-sight.

Captain Richard C. Croxton, United States army, shot himself in the temple yesterday at the residence of his brother-in-law, in Richmond, Va., and is in a critical condition. It is not known whether the shooting was intentional or accidental.

A Dublin dispatch says that at the instance of Lord DeFreyne a writ has been issued against a large number of members of the Irish Parliamentary party, on the charge of conspiracy in connection with the tenant troubles on the DeFreyne estate, Roscommon county.

An Alexandria, Va., dispatch says: Miss Mary Custis Lee, daughter of General Robert E. Lee, was taken into custody last night, charged with violating the law affecting the Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon Electric Railway, which provides for the separation of white and colored passengers. She was released on her personal bonds for appearance in court to-day, should the railroad company decide to prosecute the case.

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LEATHER FACTORY AND OTHER BUILDINGS BURNED.

A Dozen People Severely Injured—Employes Had Sensational and Narrow Escapes—Loss Over $150,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, June 13.—Fire today destroyed the novelty leather factory of H. M. Rosenblatt & Co., a four-story brick structure, at Second and Oxford streets and resulted in severe injuries to a dozen persons. The John Mossel public school, opposite the leather works, was damaged, three houses adjoining the factory were destroyed and nine others were slightly damaged. The rapid spread of the flames gave rise to rumors that a number of employes had met death in the burning factory, but these reports proved to be erroneous. A member of the firm of Rosenblatt & Co., tonight, said all of the employes had been accounted for.

There were many sensational and narrow escapes; most of the 400 men and women employed in the factory saving themselves by leaping from the windows into nets held by firemen. Katie Scheidell, aged 15 years, was carried down a ladder by a policeman. She was badly burned and her condition is reported as serious. Others severely injured are: George Herbert, aged 47, back injured; John Snyder, aged 23, shoulder dislocated and leg fractured; August Shoeter, aged 49, leg fractured; Samuel Trankerman, aged 25, burned about body. Several others, including a police sergeant and two firemen, sustained severe lacerations and were overcome by heat and shock.

The fire originated in a small annex known as the celluloid room. It is believed that a spark from crossed electric wires fell into a quantity of celluloid. The fire caused a panic among the employes especially those on the upper floors, and for a time the wildest excitement prevailed. Firemen and policemen, however, prevented the panic-stricken workers from leaping until nets had been spread to receive them.

Mr. Rosenblatt estimates his loss at $150,000, partly covered by insurance, and the loss on the other properties is estimated at $15,000.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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Piano and Organ Opportunity—The Cable Company, the largest manufacturers of high grade Pianos and Organs in the world, will for ten days sell the entire stock of Pianos and Organs of a former music dealer, cash or on good terms. Each instrument absolutely guaranteed. During this ten days sale prices never before heard of in Wilmington, N. C., will be made. All who wish to avail themselves of this exceptional opportunity must do so within ten days. Sale begins Saturday, June 14th, at 10 A. M. Call and see our instruments and learn our prices and terms. The Cable Company, Front and Ann streets. je 14 2t*

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Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company.

General Meeting of Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company will be held at the Company's office in the City of Richmond, Virginia, at 11 o'clock A. M., on Monday, the sixteenth day of June, 1902, for the purpose of considering, authorizing and voting on the proposition to issue bonds of the Company to an amount not to exceed twenty thousand dollars per mile of railway actually owned and not to exceed in the aggregate eighty millions of dollars ($80,000,000.) payable in gold coin not more than fifty years from their date, and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum, which bonds will include the amount necessary to retire all bonds now outstanding and secured by underlying mortgages and also the amount necessary for the acquirement of additional properties, and will, when all the bonds are ultimately issued, increase the present bonded indebtedness of the consolidated Company about thirty-three million dollars; and for the purpose of considering, authorizing and providing for the execution and issue of a mortgage or deed of trust to secure said bonds, embracing all of the railways, property and franchises of the Company, and for the purpose of considering and acting upon such other matters as may be legally presented at the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors: Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company

By JAMES F. POST, Secretary.

Dated May 13, 1902. my 15 till je 16

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Leave Wilmington for Southport	P. M. 5.15	P. M. 5.15	P. M. 5.15	P. M. 5.15	P. M. 5.15	P. M. 5.15	P. M. 5.15
Leave Carolina Beach for Wilmington	P. M. 1.00	P. M. 1.00	P. M. 1.00	P. M. 1.00	P. M. 1.00	P. M. 1.00	P. M. 1.00
Leave Southport for Wilmington	P. M. 5.30	P. M. 5.30	P. M. 5.30	P. M. 5.30	P. M. 5.30	P. M. 5.30	P. M. 5.30
Breaks for Wilmington	P. M. 6.00	P. M. 6.00	P. M. 6.00	P. M. 6.00	P. M. 6.00	P. M. 6.00	P. M. 6.00
Leave Southport for Wilmington	10.00 M.	10.00 M.	10.00 M.	10.00 M.	10.00 M.	10.00 M.	12.00 M.
	2.30 P. M.	2.30 P. M.	2.30 P. M.	2.30 P. M.	2.30 P. M.	2.30 P. M.	2.30 P. M.
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U. S. Bonds	207,000 00	Profits less expenses	44,413 47
Five per cent. redemption fund	7,300 00	Circulation	196,950 00
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